

An aerial night view of a city skyline, likely New York City, with several drones flying in the sky. White lines connect the drones to each other and to specific buildings, illustrating a networked or 'ecosystem' concept. The background is a dark blue gradient with faint white circular lines.

AAM Ecosystem Working Groups

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Why Working Groups?

**Accelerate Advanced
Air Mobility through
Collaboration**



We hear you!



Much interest by all



Mechanism to collaborate with government and industry



Many subsystem providers

Many great ideas

Many common pre-
competitive needs

Collaborative innovation is key

Get best value from national
campaign

Ensure NASA research
addresses most critical needs

Clear and open-source tracking of AAM ecosystem progress

Partnership Strategy

- Working Groups
- National Campaign
- Research towards maturity level 4

Working Groups



Crosscutting (including Concept of Operations and National Campaign)



Aircraft (airmen included)



Airspace



Infrastructure and Community

Expected Outcomes



Recognize and address near-term needs to kick-start AAM/UAM



Research needs for scalable AAM towards maturity level-4



Identify partnership opportunities with NASA projects including National Campaign



Foster collaborations among each other



Generate data and information for standards bodies



Collectively address pre-competitive considerations (e.g., protocols, safety analysis)



Develop AAM system architectures, book of requirements and guidelines, and scorecard

Products

- > By stakeholders
- > For stakeholders
- > With stakeholders

>> AAM system architectures

>> Book of requirements and guidelines

>> Ecosystem scorecard

>> Open source

With NASA facilitation

Next Steps



Multi-part virtual rollout (next couple months): Introduce the working groups' purpose and goals and start discussing the immediate requirements, guidelines, and standards needed



First in-person meeting (tentatively in July) : Identify and prioritize the long-term requirements, guidelines, and standards needed



Second in-person meeting (tentatively September at the AAM Convention): Continue to develop ecosystem score card and priorities

Next Steps

- Thursday March 26 at 1:00pm EDT
 - Working Group Details
 - National Campaign (NC) Overview
 - Question & Answers (Q&A)
- Friday March 27 at 2:00pm EDT
 - Follow-up Q&A From Previous Meetings
 - NC Breakout Introductions
- Week of March 30 (Tentative)
 - NC Breakout Sessions
- April Events (Tentative)
 - UAM Concept of Operations (ConOps) Overview
 - ConOps Breakout Sessions
 - Kickoff meeting for each individual Working Group
- July 7-9, 2020 (Tentative) - Working Group Face-to-Face Meeting (Washington, DC area)



AAM Ecosystem Working Grops (awesome)

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